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November 18, 2015

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Cynthia A. Harding, M.P.H.
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A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Cynthia A. Harding". The signature is written in a cursive style.

SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO
TERMINATE CONTRACT NUMBER PH-002734 WITH 2ND CHANCE
FOR RECOVERY, INC. FOR THE PROVISION OF DRUG
MEDI-CAL SERVICES**

This is to notify you that the Department of Public Health (DPH) has exercised the delegated authority approved by your Board on May 27, 2014, to terminate for convenience any Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) contract, either: a) upon issuing a five calendar day advance written notice to contractors who are in substantial breach of the contract terms and conditions; or b) immediately upon issuing a written notice to contractors who fail to maintain State DMC certification and/or fail to fully comply with California Code of Regulations, Title 22, DMC requirements, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board in writing within ten days after notification to the contractor.

In June 2015 and July 2015, the DPH Substance Abuse Prevention and Control Program conducted several monitoring visits at 2nd Chance for Recovery, Inc. facilities. The contractor was found to be out of compliance on major contractual and Title 22 requirements, which had been cited on previous monitoring visits and remained unresolved.

Under the delegated authority referenced above, on November 10, 2015, DPH issued a termination notice to 2nd Chance for Recovery, Inc. for DMC Contract Number PH-002734, effective immediately due to failure to comply with contractual and Title 22 requirements. The contractor is located and provided services in the Second Supervisorial District.

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County Counsel has reviewed and approved the contract termination and this delegated authority action.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Executive Officer
Interim County Counsel
Acting Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors